



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Nobuyuki NONAKA

Application No.: 10/697,947

Filed: October 31, 2003

For: GAMING MACHINE WITH EACH
PIXEL HAVING A PAIR OF
JUXTAPOSED PIXEL UNITS (As
amended)

Attorney Docket No.: SHO-0047

Examiner: M. Shah

Art Unit: 3714

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits after filing the accompanying Request for Continued Examination under Rule 114 and in response to the final Office Action dated October 10, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 6-12 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 6 and 8 are amended.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)